

Chief of Police Carl Dabadie

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EQUALIZER CLASS

The Baton Rouge Police Department is offering an Equalizer Women's Self-Defense class. The class will be held at the Baton Rouge Police Department Training Academy, located at 9000 Airline Hwy. The class times are from 6:00pm until 10:00pm for each session.

Session 1

Tuesday, April 12th

Session 2

Thursday, April 14th

Session 3

Tuesday, April 19th

Session 4

Thursday, April 21st

There is no charge to attend the class which is open to women over the age of 13. Participants should wear comfortable clothing suitable for physical activity.

The course covers: facts about violence against women, reducing the risk of becoming a victim, defensive striking, common grab defenses, head-lock defenses, bear hug defenses, striking and knife defense and group escapes.

Participants must attend all 4 sessions to be certified.

Class size is limited so participants should register early by going to eventbrite.com and search Baton Rouge Police Department Woman's Equalizer Class – April registration.

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